

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 518
By Hensley

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Riley Morgan Pace,
2005 Valedictorian of Lewis County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Riley Morgan Pace is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2005 graduating class at Lewis County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Riley Pace has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. Pace has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in such organizations as the Beta Club, the Science Club, 4-H, HOSA, the Anchor Club, and the Ambassador Team; and

WHEREAS, a leader both on the field of play and among her peers, Riley was an All-District softball player for four years, earned All-District honors in volleyball, and was elected Class President by her fellow classmates; and

WHEREAS, a champion in the classroom during her high school career, Ms. Pace earned awards for AP History, U.S. Government, Chemistry I, Advanced English I and III, Algebra I and II, Geometry, and Anatomy and Physiology; and

WHEREAS, Riley Pace's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as she pursues her career goal of becoming an attorney. She plans to attend the University of Tennessee at Martin to major in either Business or Political Science and play collegiate softball for the Skyhawks; and

WHEREAS, Riley's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Roger and Kimberly Pace, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Riley Morgan Pace's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2005 Lewis County High School Valedictorian, Riley Morgan Pace, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.